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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii), Applicant has not submitted copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications. Applicant submits herewith copies of foreign patent **documents B1-B9** and non-patent literature **documents C1-C27** in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2).

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination. Accordingly, no additional fees are required. Applicants hereby petition that the Information Disclosure Statement be considered.

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We believe that no additional fees are required with the submission of this IDS. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, under Order No. 58086-241892.

Respectfully submitted,

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